

have made at least two objections tonight with respect to motions to lay on the table and to have reconsideration. And I just want to remind the Chamber that we are here to do the job of the American people. We are here to vote.

Madam Speaker, earlier tonight, we had a voice vote of somewhere around \$16 billion of continuing resolution spending to push forward government spending to the night of March 15. And it is my considered judgment, and the judgment of many of my colleagues, that we should have the right to debate that and vote on it. And we had nobody in the Chamber here when we thought, and we were under the good faith belief, that we would actually have a vote on that tonight.

So the purpose of forcing some votes tonight was to call that question and to remind the Chamber that it is our job to vote. It is our job to be here and do the work of the American people.

Madam Speaker, we have not had an amendment on the floor of the House in open debate since May of 2016, to the best of my understanding. We need to restore this Chamber. We need to debate. We need to vote.

Madam Speaker, with that, I will withdraw my reservation of the right to object.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The reservation is withdrawn.

#### DIRECTING THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO MAKE A CORRECTION IN THE ENROLLMENT OF H.R. 2471

Ms. DELAURO. Madam Speaker, I send to the desk a concurrent resolution and ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Connecticut?

There was no objection.

The text of the concurrent resolution is as follows:

H. CON. RES. 79

*Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 2471, the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make the following correction:*

Amend the title so as to read: "Making consolidated appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, and for providing emergency assistance for the situation in Ukraine, and for other purposes."

The concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE CORRECTIONS IN ENGROSSMENT OF H.R. 2471, HAITI DEVELOPMENT, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND INSTITUTIONAL TRANSPARENCY INITIATIVE ACT

Ms. DELAURO. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent, that in the en-

grossment of H.R. 2471, the Clerk be authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, spelling, and cross-references, and to make such other technical corrections and conforming changes as may be necessary to reflect the actions of the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Connecticut?

There was no objection.

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, March 9, 2022.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,  
Speaker, House of Representatives,  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to section 1(k) of House Resolution 895, One Hundred Tenth Congress, and section 4(c) of House Resolution 8, One Hundred Seventeenth Congress, I transmit to you notification that the following individuals each have signed an agreement not to be a candidate for the office of Senator or Representative in, or Delegate or Resident Commissioner to, the Congress for purposes of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 until at least 3 years after they are no longer a member of the board or staff of the Office of Congressional Ethics:

Michael Barnes, Paul Vinovich, Belinda Pinckney, Karan English, Lynn Westmoreland, Karen Haas, Robert Hurt, William Luther.

Omar Ashmawy, Jeffrey Brown, William Cable, Annie Cho, Helen Eisner, Indhira Benitez, Caleb Moore.

Copies of the signed agreements will be retained by the Office of the Clerk as part of the records of the House.

With best wishes, I am,  
Sincerely,

CHERYL L. JOHNSON.

□ 2330

#### I HAD TO VOTE "NO"

(Mr. GOHMERT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. GOHMERT. Madam Speaker, there is no way I could vote to exchange getting oil from Putin for getting oil from some other tyrant who wants to destroy America, which makes this a rather cynical ploy, so I had to vote "no" on Suspending Energy Imports from Russia Act.

It is time to make America energy independent again and stop the war on American seniors, Americans on fixed incomes, and those that have to keep maxing out their credit cards to buy gas just to get to work. I had to vote "no" on what is being referred to as the Russia bill.

We have heard enough of the Biden administration lectures that Americans should basically eat cake in their brand new expensive electric cars. People who can't afford a tank of gas

today can't afford \$30,000 to \$150,000 for a new electric car.

This bill allowed the President to waive the provisions we voted on, so I voted "no."

#### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(b) of House Resolution 188, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Friday, March 11, 2022.

Thereupon (at 11 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, March 11, 2022, at 10 a.m.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

EC-3586. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter serving as the Army's interim response to a reporting requirement contained in Conference Report 116-617, regarding Military Child Care and Child Development Center Matters; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-3587. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Housing Finance Agency, transmitting the Agency's Major final rule — Enterprise Regulatory Capital Framework- Prescribed Leverage Buffer Amount and Credit Risk Transfer (RIN: 2590-AB17) received March 7, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Financial Services.

EC-3588. A letter from the Acting Inspector General, Office of the Inspector General of the U.S. House of Representatives, transmitting the final report on Records Retention and Storage at the Washington National Records Center (Report No. 22-CAO-02); to the Committee on House Administration.

EC-3589. A letter from the Departmental Privacy Officer, Office of Law Enforcement and Security, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule — Privacy Act Regulations; Exemption for the Insider Threat Program [DOI-2021-0014; 223D0102DM, DS65100000, DLSN00000, DX.65103] (RIN: 1090-AB15) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3590. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Swim With and Approach Regulation for Hawaiian Spinner Dolphins Under the Marine Mammal Protection Act [Docket No.: 210901-0173] (RIN: 0648-AU02) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

EC-3591. A letter from the Special Assistant, Office of Protected Resources, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Species; Removal of *Siderastrea glynni* From the Federal List of Threatened and Endangered Species [Docket No.: 211202-0250] (RTID: 0648-XR115) received February 22, 2022, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Natural Resources.